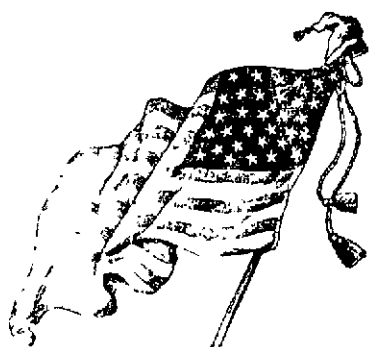


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The Leading Clothiers and Gents'
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IN MEN'S, YOUTHS' AND BOYS' SUITS & OVERCOATS

Our assortment is simply unparalleled—
every style of manufacture can be
found in our stock.

SUITS from \$5.00 to \$35.00; OVERCOATS
from \$3.00 to \$40.00; CHILDREN'S AND
BOYS' SUITS from \$2.00 to \$16.00.

HATS.

We are not only Retailers but Jobbers of Hats
and enjoy the facilities for close buying that en-
ables us to undersell any Hat house in the city.

FURNISHING GOODS.

We have the Largest and most Select Stock in
the city, showing all the NEWEST DESIGNS
and Novelties in Neckwear, Underwear, Hosiery,
Handkerchiefs, Collars, Cuffs, etc.

MERCHANT TAILORS.

We lead them all in this line. Examine our
stock of Piece Goods, consisting of SCOTCH
SUITINGS, CLAY WORSTEDS, Montanac and
Shetland Overcoatings.

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WM. YOUNG. CARL YOUNG.

YOUNG BROS.

HAVE OPENED THEIR

NEW MEAT MARKET.

North Side of Park,

And are prepared to furnish the very best

Fresh and Cured Meats, LARD ETC.

GUNS! GUNS!

A JOB LOT OF SINGLE AND DOUBLE GUNS.

100 MUSKET SHOT GUNS,

Former price, \$2—now only \$1.15.

120 MUSKET SHOT GUNS,

Out down—former price, \$2.50, now only \$1.00.

40 MUSKET SHOT GUNS,

Forward action, Locks, Patent breech, Brass Mountings, former price,
\$4.25—now only \$2.00.

35 MUZZLE-LOADING DOUBLE GUNS,

Former prices ranging from \$7 to \$18—will now be sold from \$3.75 to \$10.

REMEMBER, when these are sold there will
be no more at those prices.

85 DOZEN POCKET KNIVES,

At Less than HALF PRICE.

800 DOC COLLARS,

All styles and sizes, that will be sold the same as the above goods.

H. MUELLER & SONS,

138 Merchant Street.

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ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

CHAS. LAUX, Proprietor.

South Side of the Old Square, Decatur.

Gent's fine imported Merino hose, 25c
up to 50c a pair, at B. Stine's.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
JOHN M. TANNER, of Clay county.
Supt. of Public Instruction,
RICHARD EDWARDS, of Bureau co.

For Congress—14th District,
J. H. ROWELL, of McLean county.

For State Senator—WILLIAM C. JOHNS.
Representatives—WILLIAM GRASON.

County Judge—ANDREW H. MILLS.
County Clerk—GEORGE P. HARDY.
Sheriff—JOHN H. MAZZI.

Co. Treasurer—GEORGE R. STERLE.
Co. Superintendent—THOMAS L. EVANS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES

LAUX as a candidate for county treasurer.

I offer myself as a candidate for the office
of County Judge at the ensuing election, and
bespeak the favor of my fellow citizens. My
candidate is subject to the action of the De-
catur county convention.

We are authorized to announce N. DOK-
BY as a candidate for County Superintendent
of Hobbies, subject to the action of the
Democratic county convention.

THE DECATUR Gas Light & Coke Co.

IS HEADQUARTERS FOR

COKE

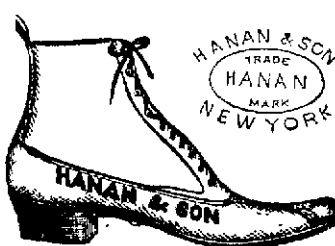
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Coke Delivered to any part of the city
on short notice.

GIVE IT A TRIAL.

R. J. STRATTON, Supt



How few understand what
a perfect shoe is. That painful
period of "breaking in" is de-
cidedly essential to every new
shoe. This is positively un-
necessary. The scientific
principles applied to the man-
ufacture of shoes at the
Hanann shoe, insure perfect
fit, and their flexibility, ab-
solute freedom from the tortures
of "breaking in," as they are
easy and comfortable from the
first day. Said everywhere.
Ask your shoe dealer for them.
HANAN & SON.

FOR SALE BY

POWERS & HAWORTH,

GET A HOME.

THE BROAD SERIES OF THE
LOAN AND HOMESTEAD
ASSOCIATION,

of Decatur, Ill., is now open to subscribers.
Monthly installments of 30 cents and up-
wards will draw interest at the rate of 6 per
cent per annum; stock and interest subject to
withdrawal at pleasure of the holder under
the rules and regulations of the society.
Loans made to stockholders monthly.
OFFICE—At No. 145 N. Water street, over
New York Store.

JOHN T. BARNETT, Pres't.
B. MCGORRAY, Secretary. Sept 16-d&w

THE TURNBULL WAGON.

This Wagon is manufactured at Dehann,
Ohio—right in the region where first class
wagon timber is abundant, and where is no
need of putting in second class stock.

It has some points of excellence which
farmers and others using wagons will bear in
mind. The rubber tire gives the best of sat-
isfaction in making short turns.

It has a heavy shoulder spoke for making
the tightest wheel.

It has the patent brake rod attachment.

Its axles are made of selected black hickory
and are of extra large size.

End gates, rods, king bolts, pole caps and
spoke bands are made of steel.

The wheels are oil-bolted to prevent the tire
from loosening.

It is the best wagon in the market for gen-
eral purposes.

Sold only in Decatur by

A. KRAMER,

258 and 260 E. Main St., Decatur, Ill.

I also keep for sale all kinds of Carriages,
Buggies, Parkers, Sprays, Wagons, and Road
Carts of my own make, and warranted of the
very best quality, to which I respectfully in-
vite the attention of my old friends and the
public generally.

Sept 16-d&w

PLUSH CLOAKS.

Superior fast dye PLUSH CLOAKS,
that cannot be equalled for beauty and
cheapness. Don't buy until you look at them.
LINS & SORCUSES.

Sept 16-d&w

PARTIAL Shawls, handsome and cheap,
just received, at Lins & Sorcuses, d&w

Go to the Decatur Musical College for
reliable instruction. Cor. Main and Wil-
liam streets. Sept 15-d&w

First line of Colored Shirts at Cheap
Charley's. d&w

PAINTS waiting pure crystal ice, deliv-
ered promptly at their doors, should
give their orders to D. A. Maht. His
telephone is 100. Prompt attention to
business. April 15-dit

We are prepared to do all kinds of re-
pairing in the machinery line.
May 15-dit H. MOZZAN & SONS.

PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

—There are fifteen men under the
age of thirty years in Portland, Ore.,
who are worth over a million dollars
each.

—Samuel Horner, of Pontiac County,
province of Quebec, is seventy-four
years old, yet he recently met four
bears and killed three of them in as
many shots.

—An editor with nine unmarried
daughters was recently made justly
indignant by the misconstruction his
contemporaries put upon his address
on "The Demand for More Men."

—The Misses Beard, four sisters, run
a farm in Clay County, Ind., and run
it well. They manage every thing,
and tolerate no other beards upon the
place save those growing on their
wheat.

—The widow of Hon. Alexander H.
Tilton, of Tilton, N. H., bequeathed
five thousand dollars cash and a house
for a rectory to Trinity Episcopal
Church in that town. She also left
quite a large sum in trust, the income
to be used for the benefit of the poor in
Tilton.

—Samuel Jefferson, of Tamaqua,
Pa., died Thursday night at the age of
one hundred and four years. Jefferson
was a colored barber, and claimed to
have heard Wilkes Booth planning the
assassination of President Lincoln
while he, Jefferson, was shaving
Booth.

A young colored man of Buffalo is
making a name by giving most remark-
able musical performances. He holds
his mouth open, taps his skull with a
beer mallet and thus plays tunes in
tones not unlike those of the xylophone.
He seems not only to have a wooden
head, but an empty one.

—Albert Wampler, of Indianapolis,
thinks that he has been made whole by
the prayer cure. He claims that he
has for five years suffered with rheuma-
tism, which bent him double and other-
wise deformed him, and that in answer
to special prayers he laid aside his
crutches and stood erect a well man.

—One of the oldest shoemakers in
the country, if not the oldest, is Wil-
liam Congdon, a Baltimore colored
man, ninety years old, who still pegs
away. He says that fifty years ago he
was head steward on Commodore Van-
derbilt's steamboat Lexington, and
that he used to make Thurlow Weed's
shoes.

—Harrison H. Oliver, of Bolton,
Tex., is noted for having one hundred
and one bullet wounds on his body.
When he was a boy a friend thought he
was a deer, and fired thirty-seven
bulletshots into him; he was shot all to
pieces in the way, and in 1873 a Bolton
dentist took him an enemy and put
fifty-one duck-shot into his back, per-
forating his liver and kidneys. Sixty
bullets, ranging in size from a duck-
shot to an ounce ball, now remain in his
body.

—An old Saratoga bean says that to
be attractive to the male sex a girl
should dress "in the neatest and sweet-
est light dresses. Her hair should be
bathed so as to look airy and fleecy like
a marmalade's tresses. No man will ever
fall in love with a woman who does
not to him look sweet enough to kiss.
A man don't fall in love with a dress.
A sweet muslin dress will attract him,
a somber three hundred dollar Worth
satin will drive him away. Men don't
marry dresses, they marry women."

—Forty years ago Willard Pierce, of
Tynsboro, Mass., a bright young
teacher, recently graduated from col-
lege, was jilted by the girl who had
promised to marry him. The shock
unsettled his mind, and he was placed
in the Tynsboro almshouse, where he
remained until the other day, when he
died. Up to his last illness he kept in
mind his old sweetheart, and called for
"Lucy," and begged her to return to
him. It is said that the woman now
lives in this city, and is prominent in
charitable work.

"A LITTLE NONSENSE."

—The wretch has been arrested who,
at a social party, said that a young
lady playing the pianoforte was like
an ape because her fingers were "mong
keys."

—Too sharp.—"Do you keep any
Hamburg edging?" asked a timid Miss.
"Not if we can help it," was the pert
reply of the clerk. He kept some that
day.—N. Y. Ledger.

—"I say, Jerry, why don't you water
your horses?" "Water 'em? Why,
they never want water." "And why
don't they want water?" "Why, be-
cause they're both boys."

—A suggestion of economy.—Lady
(in dry goods store)—I will look at
your material for towels. Clerk (re-
cently transferred from the dress-goods
department)—Yes, ma'am; something
that won't show dirt?

—"My mamma gives me a penny
every day," said a little girl to her
companion, "for taking a dose of cas-
tro oil." "What do you buy with so
much money?" "Oh, mamma saves it
up to buy the oil with."

—Berlie.—"Mr. Schuyler, are you a
very strong man?" Schuyler—"No,
not so very strong, Berlie." Berlie.—
"What did pa mean, then, when he
told sister at the breakfast table to-day
that he saw you with a heavy load on
last night?"—Judge.

—"What are you reading, my dear?"
asked a motherly old lady of her
daughter, who was swinging in a ham-
mock in the side yard one Sunday
afternoon. "St. Elmo," mother.

"That's right, my dear; read all you
want to about the saints, but I never
want you to open a novel on Sunday."
N. Y. Times.

—Influential citizen: So yer thinkin'
'yer locatin' hyur, air ye? Young phy-
sician: Well, yes, I had thought some
of practicing here. Influential citizen:
Look hyur, young man, that's a good
openin' hyur for a doctor as 'n'er-
stands his biz, but we don't want no
practicin'; doctorin's what we want.—
Harper's Bazar.

—What he came back for.—Father of
Young Girl: I should think you would
be satisfied at the treatment you got
here last night. I kicked you down
the front steps and set the dog on you,
and he came back with a big piece of
your trousers. Now, what do you
want? Young man: I'd like that piece
of cloth, please.

An End to Bone Scraping.
Edward Shepherd, of Harrison, Ill.,
says: "Having received so much benefit
from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to
let suffering humanity know it. Have
had a running sore on my leg for eight
years; my doctors told me I would have
to have the bone scraped or leg ampu-
tated. I used, instead, three bottles of
Electric Bitters and seven boxes Buck-
len's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now
sound and well. Electric Bitters are sold
at 50 cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica
Salve at 25c per box at Swearingen &
Hubbard's."

LADIES' Misses' and Children's Winter
Shoes, Rubber Boots and Slippers, cheap,
at Basher & Hutchins', the leaders.
Oct 12-dit

REASONS.

There are forty reasons why men
dress well, some of them decidedly cu-
rious should they be probed.

Expediency of odd sorts, serves to ac-
complish certain ends and the like.

Most men, we trust, rise to the higher
plane of neatness and good taste. A well
bred man pleases himself and enjoys
a satisfaction in knowing he attracts no
attention by too little dress or too much.
In our very full supply of NEW FALL
BUSINESS SUITS, DRESS SUITS, FALL
OVERCOATS, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S
SUITS, you will find the happy medium,
that every gentleman of good taste and
every mother of refinement, who wishes
to see her boys well dressed, enjoys.

In answer to the enquiry so often asked,
WHERE CAN I DO THE BEST? we
would say, and prove it if necessary, that
every dollar's worth of goods that is
delivered to us, after being examined and
found correct, is paid for, SPOT CASH.
This, and a twenty years' experience in
our business, knowing how to buy, where
to buy, offsets any argument that has
been and may be made by any of our
competitors as to their offering extraor-
dinary bargains without any good reason
on their part as to their superior ability,
financially or otherwise, to procure them.

The Reliable Clothier and Gents' Fur-
nisher,

B. STINE.

A GENERAL INVITATION

To the Ladies

—TO VISIT—

BRADLEY BROS.

New York Store,

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY,

October 27th and 28th, 1886,

When a representative of one of
the Largest Eastern Cloak Manu-
facturers will assist us in display-
ing the finest Line of Ladies',
Misses' and Children's Cloaks ever
shown in this city.

Respectfully,

BRADLEY BROTHERS.

75 DOZEN

—OF FINE—

Percalé Shirts

—ON SALE AT—

CHEAP CHARLEY'S

At a Price.

ARMOUR & CO., STAR HAMS. STAR BACON.



Delicious
Flavor
No pains
spared
to make
these the
BEST
that can be
produced.
People of
EPICUREAN
TASTES
are highly
pleased
with them.

If your grocer or meat merchant does not keep
them, send order to Armour & Co., Chicago.
Aug 15-d&w3m

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CELEBRATED POWERFUL
SUCCESS,

GIANT,
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AND

PERFECT FURNACES

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LARGEST VARIETY WITH LATEST SCIENTIFIC IMPROVEMENTS.

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FOR SALE BY
FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT

DECATUR, ILL.

Sept 7—deoddm

W. W. SHOCKLEY, the contracting
center, is ready for business and will
make figures on application. He will
also put in patent window screens where
desired, and guarantee satisfaction.
mar 15-dit

I am now delivering ice to all
parts of the city. Leave orders at Jos
Michl's cigar store, or telephone 170.
april 5-dit

1. L. ANZEN.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of the execution to me directed
and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court
of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of John H.
Winnert and against John P. Poulter, I have
levied upon the following described property,
to wit: Lots Number Five, Six and Seven (5, 6
and 7) in the addition to the Village of El-
Zion in Macon county and state of Illinois,
known as the property of the said John H.
Poulter, which I shall offer at public sale at
the west door of the Court House in the city
of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on
the 4th day of November, A. D. 1886, at the
hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash
in hand, to satisfy said execution.
This 14th day of October, A. D. 1886.
WM. W. FOSTER,
Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

SEALED BIDS.

Public Notice is hereby given, that the con-
tract for the improvement of East Main Street
from the east end of the Old Square east to
the west line of Water street, by grading,
paving, guttering and paving with brick,
according to the plans and specifications of
certain ordinances relating thereto passed by
the Board of Supervisors of the City of Decatur,
Ill., on the 4th day of October, 1886, will be
received at the west door of the Court House in
the city of Decatur, Ill., on the 4th day of
November, A. D. 1886, for the purpose of
being opened and the lowest and best bid
accepted, and for the entire improvement in-
cluding labor and material to be submitted to the City Council
for its action.
F. C. BETZLER, City Clerk.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 30, 1886. dtd

\$1.45 PER 100 For the Best Straw WRAPPING PAPER.

—ALSO—

RAG WRAPPING PAPER

And MANILLA EXPRESS
Sold at Very Low Prices.

Send your orders to
M. J. COHEN & CO.,

621 N. Main St., Decatur, Ill.

Telephone 21. Rag Warehouse.

Also paying highest market price for Scrap
Iron, Rags, Babbles, and all kinds. Mail
orders receive prompt attention.
Sept. 20 d&w3m

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, (ss.)

In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chan-
cery.

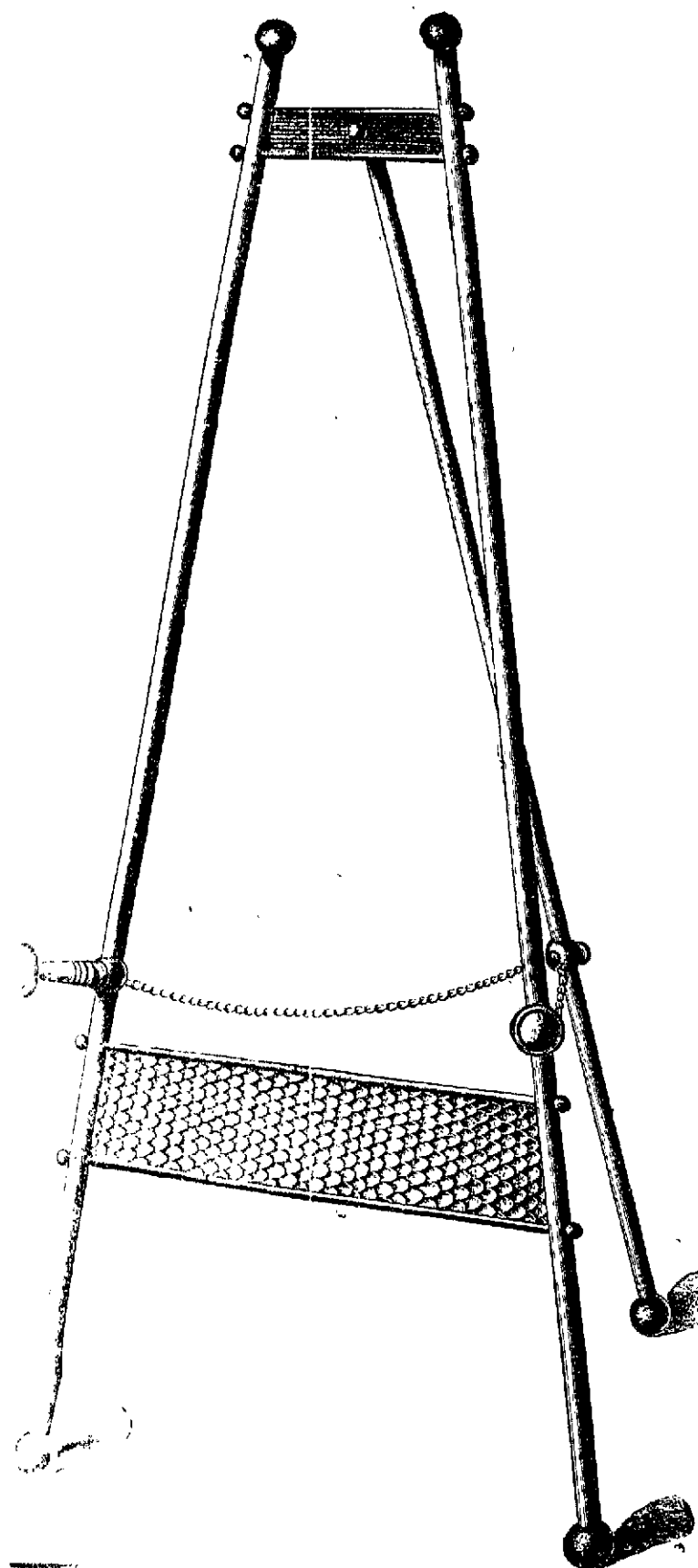
The Board of School Trustees of Township
Sixteen, Range Two East of 3d P. M.
Samuel Corbett and Dorcas Corbett—For-
eigners.

Public notice is hereby given, that, in pur-
suance of a decree entered at the May Term,
A. D. 1886, by the said Court in the above en-
titled cause, I, E. M. McEwen, Special Com-
missioner, will, at the hour of one o'clock in
the afternoon, on

Tuesday, the 30th day of November, A. D.
1886,

at the west door of the Court House, in said
Macon county, sell at public vendue to the
highest and best bidder, the following de-
scribed real estate, to wit: The south west quarter
of the southwest quarter of the southwest
quarter, all in section No. 14, township 16
north, range 2 east of 3d P. M.

Artistic Goods!



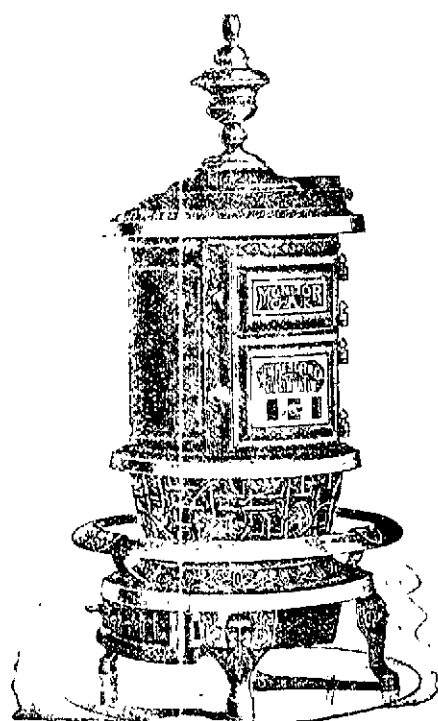
We have NEVER shown so nice a line before, and our selection embraces many goods not found elsewhere outside the large cities.

We invite you to call and see them.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,
Leading Jewelers.

THE ORIGINAL "ROUND OAK,"
AND THE NEW

"MONITOR OAK,"
Are the Best Soft Coal Stoves Made.



AIR-TIGHT BASE. CONE GRATE.

BURN LESS COAL,
MAKE MORE HEAT,
HOLD FIRE LONGER,
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THE BAKED HORSE BLANKET.



THE BEST AND STRONGEST.

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NONE GENUINE WITHOUT THIS TRADE MARK.

FOR SALE BY

J. G. STARR & SON.

The Daily Republican.

BULK OYSTERS!

Fresh Bulk Oysters,

PETER ULLRICH'S,

144 East Main Street

FRIDAY EVE., OCT. 29, 1893

LOCAL NEWS.

FOR PRESENTS look through the mammoth assortment at
E. D. BATHOLINOW & Co's.

Halloween Sunday night. Keep an eye on loose gables.

There will be a grand ball at the armory Thanksgiving night.

Boys' Jersey Caps at 10c at Stine's.

GEORGE BARTT will instruct the gymnasium class at Y. M. C. A. hall to-night. The candidates are having fine weather for the harvest of votes.

Tax White Foam flour. You will like it. The eventful day is near at hand. Only four days more.

DON BONNARD's great play, "The Long Strike," to-morrow night.

Boys' School Paids, at 5c each. d&w

Don't fail to ask your grocer for White Loaf when you want good flour.

This great play, "Wages of Sin," this evening. See it.

Bring up Niedermeyer by telephone. He will apply you with fine groceries.

SIXTH ANGLE County Clerk Hardy has issued that naturalization papers to 35 voters—24 since October 23.

The Catholic fair will close at the tabernacle to-night at a late hour.

Men's Cashmere Pants at \$2.50 at Stine's.

THE REPUBLICAN makes its bow of thanks for a generous donation of oak from the Smith-Davis wedding last evening.

The electric light showed up nicely last night. Our people want it every night the moon isn't asleep, and will kick if it don't shine.

Bulk oysters just received from Baltimore at Peter Ullrich's grocery store.

R. G. BOLLARS is having 200 square feet of concrete walk at Cerro Gordo.

Citizens apples of different varieties on sale at Hanks & Patton's grocery store.

Election returns by telegraph will be read from 35 states at the court house Tuesday night. Also the latest news from points in the country.

Dr. Goodwin is billed to lecture on temperance, his favorite theme, at Illinois to-night.

The sensational drama, "Long Strike," will be at the opera house to-morrow night.

The social last evening in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. was a social in fact. All present enjoyed themselves and during the evening visited the gymnasium, where the Juniors were exercising.

FIVE HUNDRED Kees Pants, made from materials worth from \$3 to \$3.50 per yard, retail at \$1.50 at Stine's.

The street paving on Morgan street goes bravely on. Eldorado street will soon be reached and there will be but two more blocks to pave to give us two solid routes to the Union depot. More improvements of like character for next year are planned.

ONLY three days more to secure the Fifty Dollar Reward offered by the Business College.

EDWIN WELCH, of DeWitt county, on twenty acres of land, raised this year eighty tons of hay, worth \$320, and from the same piece of ground has threshed one hundred bushels of clover seed, worth \$500. This makes a total of \$820, or an average of \$41 an acre. Who says farming in Central Illinois does not pay?

SEIZURE of a reliable iron fence farm wagon or easy riding road cart at D. F. Hamsher's shop on Wood street.

Mrs. BUCK, the great fortune teller, is at the Arlington. Call and see her.

CHOICE California fruits and a full line of vegetables every day at Lehmann & Bolen's grocery store.

THE remains of Mrs. Eliza Rader, who died yesterday on East North street, of consumption, were sent to Oakley to-day for burial. She was 45 years of age, and leaves a husband and five children.

DEAL with the live grocers, J. Lytle & Co., in Opera block. Prompt attention paid to all orders.

TAKE elegant curtain goods that help to make a room beautiful are on sale at Abel & Locke's carpet house. Call there and make selections.

IRON chairs for children, rockers for elderly people, and parlor sets to suit you, at Dastman & Meyer's furniture store.

A LOT of snickers were taken in yesterday by a swindling peddler, who sold watches at \$10 each, enclosing a one dollar bill in the case. By a little manipulation the swindler made it appear that through a mistake he had put a \$20 bill in the case, and many but only to find they had got but a dollar and a 50-cent watch. The fellow operated from a carriage and escaped. No need to waste any sympathy on the purchasers. They haven't anything to say.

If you want the handsomest and best looking base burner ever made, buy the Royal Penitentiary.

Don't buy an Overcoat before you see the immense stock at B. Stine's. We will save you some money. d&w

Fine Military.

At Mrs. K. Einstein's New Military Store on North Water street, two doors north of Millikin's bank. Mrs. Einstein has received a large stock of fine Military goods from New York, for the Fall trade, which enables her to sell goods at 25 per cent lower than any store in Decatur.

Miss Clara McCoy, who has charge of the Trimming department, is an artist in her line; her styles are always the latest. A call is solicited. Remember the place, 110 N. Water St. sept18-d&w

There was a large company of friends at St. Patrick's Catholic church last evening at 7 o'clock, to witness the happy marriage of Mr. Ellsworth Taylor and Miss Maggie A. Koefe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Koefe. The officiating minister was Rev. P. J. Mackin, and the attendants were Mr. Shoemaker, from Springfield, and Miss Emma Koefe, sister of the bride. After the ceremony a joyous reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where about forty people extended their personal congratulations to the couple and partook of a sumptuous wedding supper. The couple received a number of useful gifts. The bride wore a fine blue silk, trimmed with plush and decorated with natural flowers. Mr. Taylor, who is an operator in the Western Union telegraph office, is a son of Lemuel Taylor, of Richmond, Va., and is an industrious and worthy young man of exemplary habits. The couple have gone to housekeeping in a dwelling on North Main street.

The Drama To-Night.

The "Wages of Sin" is on stage at the tabernacle last night to take in the third evening of the opera house and festival, which most opportunely for the managers, happened to occur the week before election. Candidates and their friends have been on the floor mingling with the crowd and forming acquaintances among the ladies and voters. There promises to be a lively time to-night, when several canes and other articles of value will be voted to popular persons.

Beroux leaving for home Mr. Milton Stuart, of Liverpool, England, showed his good judgment by subscribing for the weekly Republican. His wealth is estimated at several millions. He will loan much of it at 5 and 7 per cent in America. While in Washington his bright little daughter was entertained for two hours by the President and Mrs. Cleveland at the White House.

Smith-Davis Wedding.

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After the company had assembled, some merriment was caused by a repetition of the marriage ceremony of thirty years ago, John A. Brown officiating with dignity as minister. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. William Dodson, whose thirtieth marriage anniversary also occurred yesterday. Heartly congratulations followed.

The friends in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Austin, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Waggoner, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. W. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Hart, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Denton, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Soars, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. King, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gillie, Mr. and Mrs. D. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. W. Donaldson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. G. Henderson, Dr. and Mrs. Meisse, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Paibe, Mr. and Mrs. G. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hurd, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Haug, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hovey, Mr. and Mrs. D. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kramer, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. George Hauger, of Springfield, and Messrs. A. Chapman, E. J. Hart, D. Blyden, Harry Handy, Wm. Sisley, Helen Chapman, and Messrs. Amel Baker, Walter Baser, John A. Swigart and John A. Corry.

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It is a Bad Break.

Later information about the failure of the Wm. M. Dustin & Co. bank at Lincoln, makes a dark showing. The liabilities are \$200,000, while the assets are not more than \$75,000. There was a lively run on the bank Wednesday, and owing to the inability of the firm to get help, they were forced to close up. Hugh Smith is out \$4,000; R. Kahn, \$1200; S. Rankin, \$1800; L. Hauken, \$2,000; H. L. Pierce, \$1,000; Wm. Fogarty, \$1400; West Lincoln Township, \$800; Clearmakers' Union, \$100; S. L. Wallace, \$1300; A. Mayfield, \$1500. Speaking of the collapse the Lincoln Journal says: "The cause of the crash is due to Mr. Dustin spreading and extending too much into other business, hard times and litigation. He has real estate valued at \$40,000, but this is hampered by an injunction in favor of Mrs. Mary E. Dustin, who has a case pending in the courts for alimony. The Montana investment with Hough and the litigation has had an effect on the business of the bank. Last Friday a note arrived here from Montana which was given by Dustin & Hough for \$25,000. It was not due, but its existence aroused distrust, and when it was ascertained later that Hough's contracts in Montana reached \$75,000, the depositors here became alarmed." The bank was started thirty years ago, and was thought to be solid.

Any wishing to know what is in the future for them should call on Mrs. Beck, the fortune teller, now at the Arlington Hotel. 29-45

SPECIAL sale at Cheap Charley's. Call before they are all gone. d&w

A. T. Grier's bath rooms, south of the Laramie office, are now ready for use. The rooms are the largest and best in the city. aug18-dit

W. A. B. Jones, at 525 North Water street, is ready to do paper hanging and painting on short notice at reasonable rates. april4-dit

MARRIED.

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The Chicago Grain Market.

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Corn—35½ Oct; 36½ Nov; 37½ Dec; 42½ May.

oats—25½ Oct; 25½ Nov; 26½ Dec; 29½ May.

Pork—\$9.00 Nov; \$9.02 Dec; \$10.02 Jan.

Lard—\$5.77 Nov; \$5.82 Dec; \$5.95 Jan.

Cab—\$— Nov; \$— Dec; \$5.10 Jan.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs, 25,000; market steady.

Cattle, 6,000; market steady.

Car Lots—Winter wheat 13; spring w 110; corn 27½; oats 95.

There are 21 boys from Vermilion county now in the reform school at Pontiac, and 85 men and boys in the penitentiary at Joliet.

The colored waiters of Springfield have formed a protective association and propose to keep up prices. Under the colored "gem" man is becoming educated.

The natural gas bore at Jacksonville is down 245 feet and progressing toward China at a slow rate. The result is being watched with no little solicitude by the gas and oil boys.

A female valet is in the hotel, disappointed in a love affair, sought to emigrate to the misty beyond by the morphine route. The prompt action of a stomach pump and emetics called her back.

November Novelties.

In profusion at Mrs. M. L. McDonald's Select Opening of the Winter Millinery. Tuesday and Wednesday of next week—November 21 and 22. A cordial invitation is extended to all. d

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